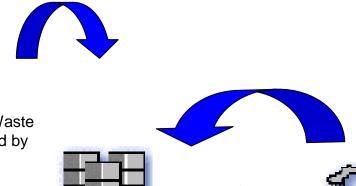
## **Understanding DOE Waste Management Activities in the CID**



**Generation:** Waste newly generated by DOE program activities



**Process Outputs:** A quantity of waste that is created from treatment processes or other management activities. These quantities are often referred to as "secondary wastes". The CID distinguishes these amounts from quantities of waste that are newly generated from ongoing program activities.



**Inventory:** Material that is stored at a site.





**Treatment:** Any method, technique, or process designed to change the physical or chemical character of waste to render it less hazardous; safer to transport, store, or dispose; or reduce its volume.

**Disposal:** A management activity where the waste is emplaced in a manner that ensures protection of human health and the environment within prescribed limits for the foreseeable future. For waste that has undergone disposal, there is no intent of retrieval and deliberate action is required to regain access to the waste.

**Receipts:** The quantity of waste a site receives from another site.

FY Starting Inventory + Generation + Process Outputs + Receipts – Treatment – Other Dispositions – Disposal = **FY Ending Inventory**